

Ingredients: Bark; Frangula. Leaves; Sage, Red Vine. Roots; Woodruff, Calamus, Solomon's Seal, Couchgrass. Vehicle: Hazel Leaves."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (a), the following statements in the above-mentioned leaflets which related to *Abbe Hamon Formula No. 3*, *Abbe Hamon Tea No. 5*, and *Abbe Hamon Formula No. 11*, were false and misleading since these articles were not effective in the treatment of the conditions, or for the purposes, stated and implied: "The No. 3 has fixed my Rheumatism * * * Tea for Arthritis No. 3 * * * helping her very much * * * your cure No. 3 for Arthritis," "Tea No. 5 * * * expel an enormous tapeworm," and "I have taken No. 11 for Arterio-Sclerosis for about 8 months, it relieved that paralizing feeling, and the goitre I had for some 50 years is completely disappeared * * * Please send me Tea No. 11 for my Goitre."

Misbranding, Section 502 (f) (1), the labeling of *Abbe Hamon Formula No. 6*, *Abbe Hamon Tea No. 7*, and *Abbe Hamon Tea No. 19* failed to bear adequate directions for use for the purposes for which these articles were intended.

DISPOSITION: July 27, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

2835. Misbranding of Mont-O-Min Mineral Tablets. U. S. v. 5 Bottles, etc. (F. D. C. No. 25018. Sample No. 20295-K.)

LIBEL FILED: July 13, 1948, District of Nebraska.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: The product was shipped on or about April 13, 1948, by the Neoco Corp., from Los Angeles, Calif., and a number of circulars were shipped on or about May 10, 1948, by the Mont-O-Min Sales Corp., from Oakland, Calif.

PRODUCT: 5 250-tablet bottles and 24 100-tablet bottles of *Mont-O-Min Mineral Tablets* at Omaha, Nebr., together with a number of circulars entitled "Mont-O-Min." Examination showed that the product consisted essentially of calcium, phosphorus, iron, and iodine.

LABEL, IN PART: "Mont-O-Min Mineral Tablets Distributed by Mont-O-Min Sales Corporation, Oakland, California."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Misbranding, Section 502 (f) (1), the labeling of the article failed to bear adequate directions for use in the treatment of arthritis, rheumatic conditions, and general debility, which were the conditions for which the article was offered in advertising sent to the distributor of the article.

DISPOSITION: June 16, 1949. The Mont-O-Min Sales Corp. having consented to the entry of a decree, judgment of condemnation was entered and the court ordered that the product be destroyed.

DRUGS ACTIONABLE BECAUSE OF CONTAMINATION WITH FILTH

2836. Adulteration of Geo-Mineral. U. S. v. 253 Bottles * * * (and 10 other seizure actions). (F. D. C. Nos. 27070, 27094, 27095, 27103 to 27105, incl., 27117, 27118, 27199, 27200, 27240. Sample Nos. 13521-K, 13522-K, 16940-K, 23486-K, 27701-K to 27703-K, incl., 42142-K, 46580-K, 46581-K, 46665-K.)

LIBELS FILED: On or about May 3, 4, 5, 9, and 13, 1949, Eastern District of Wisconsin, Southern District of Illinois, Eastern and Western Districts of Pennsylvania, and Eastern District of Texas.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: Between the approximate dates of January 27 and April 9, 1949, by Vi-Jon Laboratories, Inc., from St. Louis, Mo.

PRODUCT: *Geo-Mineral*. 757 bottles at Milwaukee, Wis.; 17 boxes, each containing 36 bottles, at New Castle, Pa.; 272 bottles at Bloomington, Ill.; 669 bottles at Peoria, Ill.; 995 bottles at Pittsburgh, Pa.; 2,518 bottles at Philadelphia, Pa.; and 943 bottles at Beaumont, Tex. Each bottle contained 3 fluid ounces.

LABEL, IN PART: "Geo-Mineral * * * Sole Distributor Geo-Mineral Company St. Louis 1, Mo."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (a) (1), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy and decomposed substance by reason of the presence of mold.

DISPOSITION: Between June 6 and 27, 1949. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction.

2837. Adulteration of Geo-Mineral. U. S. v. 18 Cases * * *. (F. D. C. No. 27078. Sample No. 45991-K.)

LABEL FILED: April 28, 1949, Eastern District of Missouri.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about April 19, 1949, by McKesson & Robbins, from Peoria, Ill. This was a return shipment.

PRODUCT: 18 cases, each containing 36 3-ounce bottles, of *Geo-Mineral* at St. Louis, Mo.

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (a) (1), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy and decomposed substance by reason of the presence of mold.

DISPOSITION: May 23, 1949. Default decree of condemnation and destruction.

2838. Adulteration of Neo-Mineral. U. S. v. 234 Bottles * * * (and 1 other seizure action). (F. D. C. Nos. 27093, 27127. Sample Nos. 19378-K, 44282-K, 44283-K.)

LABELS FILED: May 5 and 6, 1949, Southern District of Ohio.

ALLEGED SHIPMENT: On or about March 11 and April 6, 1949, by Guardian Drug Products, Inc., from Detroit, Mich.

PRODUCT: *Neo-Mineral*. 234 bottles at Dayton, Ohio, and 387 bottles at Cincinnati, Ohio.

Examination showed that the product was a water solution of ferric sulfate and that it was contaminated with mold.

LABEL, IN PART: (Bottle) "Neo-Mineral 3 Fluid Ounces Net Contents * * * Sole Distributor Neo-Mineral Co., Inc., Detroit 16, Mich."

NATURE OF CHARGE: Adulteration, Section 501 (a) (1), the article consisted in whole or in part of a filthy and decomposed substance by reason of the presence of mold.

DISPOSITION: July 1 and 5, 1949. Default decrees of condemnation and destruction.